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Paper No. 24

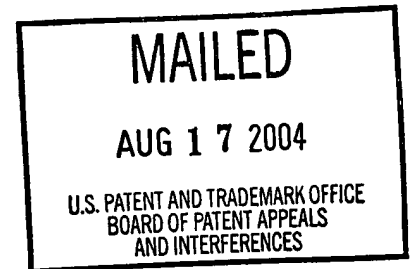
UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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BEFORE THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS  
AND INTERFERENCES

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Ex parte WILLIAM FRANCIS WEBER;  
MICHAEL JOSEPH WALRAVEN;  
JARED CLARK and DANIEL CORNELIUS BACH



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Application No. 09/385,739

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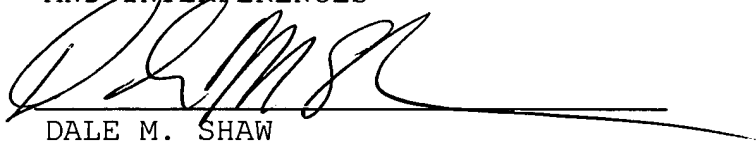
An ORDER RETURNING UNDOCKETED APPEAL TO EXAMINER was mailed June 30, 2004 (Paper No. 23), which requested that the Examiner's Answer be signed by all appropriate parties and a signed copy of that Examiner's Answer be forwarded to appellant.

The Examiner's Answer has been signed by all appropriate parties and a copy of the signed Examiner's Answer is enclosed with this communication.

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Appellant may expect that a docketing notice, identifying the appeal number will be issued in due course.

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Attachment: EXAMINER'S ANSWER  
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